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 Method for operating a strip casting machine for producing a metal strip and device for carrying out said method

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